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“Get More Green” Questions

1. Before beginning your reading, look at the headings, illustrations, and diagrams in the article. What do you think this article will be about?

2. **As you read, underline or highlight information you think is important.**

3. Besides being better for the planet, what is another benefit of “living green?”

4. Solar panels decrease what kind of cost?

5. What is the purpose of windows with coated glass?

6. How much does the average American household spend on energy bills per year? How much could this cost be cut by in a more energy-efficient home?

7. How much more energy do normal light bulbs use compared to compact fluorescent light (CFL) bulbs?

8. How much does it cost per year to allow one computer to sit idle? Is your computer at home on right now while no one is using it?

9. How much of all electricity used to power electronics is used while the products are turned off?

10. What is the best option for getting rid of an old computer, fax machine, or printer?

11. After reading this article, what are 2 things you might do differently at home to “be more green?”